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**Richard D. Rogers**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1921  
Education: Kansas State 1943 BS; Kansas 1947 JD  
Began Service: 1975  
Appointed By: President Gerald Ford  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Academic:** Instructor, Business Law, Kansas State University (1948)

**Government:** City Commissioner, Office of the Mayor and City Commission, City of Manhattan, Kansas (1950-1952); Mayor, City of Manhattan, Kansas (1952); County Attorney, Office of the County Attorney, County of Riley, Kansas (1954-1958); General Counsel, Kansas Farm Bureau Federation (1960-1975); City Commissioner, City of Manhattan, KS (1960-1964); Republican Chairman, Kansas House of Representatives (1962-1964); Mayor, City of Manhattan, KS (1964); State Representative Richard D. Rogers (KS), Kansas House of Representatives (1964-1968); State Senator Richard D. Rogers (KS), Kansas State Senate (1968-1975)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Springer & Rogers (1947-1958); Partner, Rogers, Stites and Hill (1959-1975)

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1943-1945)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Shawnee County Bar Association

**Staff**

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**Sam A. Crow**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1926  
Education: Kansas 1949 BA; Washburn 1952 JD  
Began Service: December 10, 1981  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Lecturer, School of Law, Washburn University

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1975-1981)

**Legal Practice:** Law Clerk, Rooney, Dickinson & Prager (1952-1953); Partner, Rooney, Dickinson, Prager & Crow (1953-1963); Partner, Dickinson, Crow, Skoog & Honeyman (1963-1970); Senior Partner, Crow & Skoog (1971-1975)

**Military Service:** United States Army; United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1952-1995)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Sam A. Crow American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Kansas Bar Association; National Association of United States Magistrates; Topeka Bar Association; Topeka Lawyers Club; Wichita Bar Association

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**Monti L. Belot**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Kansas 1965 BA, 1968 JD  
Began Service: 1991  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, The Honorable Wesley E. Brown, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1971-1973)

**Corporate:** Partner, Future Leaders Program II (1979-1989)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Department of Justice (1973-1976); Special Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Department of Justice (1976-1978)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Weeks, Thomas & Lysaught (1976-1983); Attorney, Hall, Levy, Lively, DeVore, Belot & Bell (1983-1991)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1968-1971); United States Naval Reserve (1971-1986)

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**Karen M. Humphreys**  
Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
Education: Kansas 1970 BA, 1973 JD  
Began Service: 1993  
Term Expires: October 31, 2009  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor of Law, School of Law, Washburn University; Adjunct Professor of Law, Wichita State University

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1978-1986)

**Judicial:** Judge, Kansas District Court, Sedgwick County (1987-1993)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Redmond & Nazar, L.L.P. (1986-1987)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; National Association of Women Judges; Wichita Bar Association

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**Donald W. Bostwick**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Kansas 1965 BS, 1968 JD  
Began Service: July 22, 1999  
Term Expires: July 21, 2015

**Legal Practice:** Adams, Jones, Robinson & Malone (1968-1999)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Kansas Bar Association; Kansas Bar Foundation, Kansas Bar Association; Wichita Bar Association

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**Gerald L. Rushfelt**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
Education: Kansas 1953 BA, 1958 LLB, 1958 JD  
Began Service: September 9, 1985  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Instructor, University of Kansas (1980-1992)

**Government:** Member, Office of the City Council, City of Roeland Park, Kansas (1964-1969)

**Judicial:** Judge Pro Tem, Leawood Municipal Court (1978-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Sullivan & Smith (1958-1969); Partner, Rushfelt, Mueller, Lamar & Druten (1969-1985)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1953-1955)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Board of Trial Advocates; American College of Trial Lawyers; The Earl E. O'Connor American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; International Society of Barristers; Johnson County Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association

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**David J. Waxse**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Kansas 1967 BA; Columbia 1971 JD  
Began Service: October 4, 1999  
Term Expires: October 3, 2015  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Dean of Students, Intermediate School 88, New York City Board of Education (1968-1970); Special Education Teacher, New York City Board of Education (1970-1971); Lecturer, University of Kansas (1981-1982)

**Government:** City Attorney (part-time) (1972-1979)

**Judicial:** Municipal Judge (part-time) (1974-1980)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Payne & Jones, Chtd. (1971-1984); Counsel, Shook, Hardy & Bacon L.L.P. (1984-1986); Partner, Shook, Hardy & Bacon L.L.P. (1986-1999)

**Current Memberships:** Board of Trustees, Kansas Bar Foundation; American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Earl E. O'Connor American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Johnson County Bar Association; Board of Governors, Kansas Bar Association; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association; Midwest Bioethics Center

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**James P. O'Hara**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1955  
Education: Nebraska 1977 BA; Creighton 1980 JD  
Began Service: April 17, 2000  
Term Expires: April 16, 2016

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert V. Denney, United States District Court for the District of Nebraska (1980-1981); Law Clerk The Honorable C. Arlen Beam, United States District Court for the District of Nebraska (1982)

**Legal Practice:** Shughart, Thomson & Kilroy, PC (1982-2000)

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